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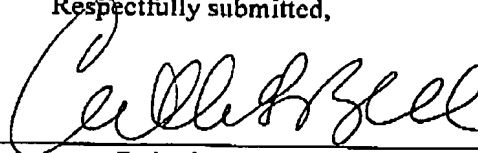
Per our teleconference of July 23, 2007, enclosed is a terminal disclaimer that obviates the pending obvious-type double patenting rejection. This application is now in condition for allowance.

Applicants respectfully solicit a prompt notice of allowance. Applicants invite the Examiner to telephone the undersigned attorney if there are any issues outstanding which have not been presented to the Examiner's satisfaction.

Respectfully submitted,

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# **TERMINAL DISCLAIMER TO OBVIATE A PROVISIONAL DOUBLE PATENTING REJECTION OVER A PENDING SECOND APPLICATION**

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